

APES Final Research Paper

OVERVIEW

You are to compose a final research paper for this class. This paper is to be written about a superfund site. This project will have several parts including a pre-write, research paper, works cited, and a keynote preso summarizing your project that you can present to the class. The project due dates will be January 10th for the pre-write, January 17th for the preso, and January 21st for the research paper. Early completion will result in bonus points up to 10% of this project. This project will be worth 150 points, (100 for paper, 50 for preso).



Project Elements Breakdown

PRE-WRITE: 20pts

Your pre-write needs to contain your chosen topic, five pictures of the topic with cited sources, five questions that will help you compose your paper that will be answered in your paper, five possible resources that you will use (only two can be .com), and ten citations with sources you will possibly use in your paper. Please use Google Scholar when researching your topic. This will help you outline your paper and map out how you will compose it.

RESEARCH PAPER: 80pts

Your research paper will be between 750 and 1,000 words in MLA format. You can use the Pages template to help you. Your paper will contain at least ten in-text citations, three photos with wrap around text, captions and citations, a works cited page with five or more sources, and a visually appealing title page.

KEYNOTE PRESENTATION: 50pts

Your keynote will contain eight or more graphically rich slides (with citations) providing a summary of your research paper. In your keynote you need to answer the five guiding questions you created in your pre-write. The presentation must contain a title slide, five cited photos pertaining to your topic and our understanding of it, and a works cited.